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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act providing for a monument to Martin Treptow on the
- 2 capitol complex grounds.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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- 1 Section 1. MARTIN TREPTOW CAPITOL COMPLEX MONUMENT.
- The department of administrative services, in
- 3 consultation with the capitol planning commission, shall
- 4 authorize the placement of a monument to Martin Treptow on the
- 5 capitol complex grounds subject to the requirements of this
- 6 section.
- 7 2. The department of administrative services shall
- 8 solicit and approve an application for the construction of a
- 9 monument to Martin Treptow as an Iowa state capitol complex
- 10 site feature. An application for the construction of the
- 11 monument shall specify the design concept for the monument,
- 12 provide an estimated total cost for the site feature, identify
- 13 planned sources of funding, provide a proposed timeline for the
- 14 project, and such other information as the department requires.
- 15 Each proposed design concept shall include a plate, engraving,
- 16 or other method by which the poem "My Pledge" by Martin Treptow
- 17 shall appear on the monument. If more than one application is
- 18 submitted, the department, in consultation with the capitol
- 19 planning commission, shall approve the application that can
- 20 best meet the requirements for construction and maintenance of
- 21 the site feature.
- 22 EXPLANATION
- The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.
- 25 This bill requires the department of administrative
- 26 services, in consultation with the capitol planning commission,
- 27 to authorize the placement of a monument to Martin Treptow on
- 28 the capitol complex grounds. The bill requires the department
- 29 to solicit and approve an application for the monument, which
- 30 shall include the poem "My Pledge" by Martin Treptow. If
- 31 more than one application is submitted, the department, in
- 32 consultation with the capitol planning commission, shall
- 33 approve the application that can best meet the requirements for
- 34 construction and maintenance of the monument.